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IN RAAPPLICATION OF:

ALEX HORNG ET AL

SERIAL NO.: 10/677,219

FILED: October 3, 2003

FOR: AXIAL TUBE ASSEMBLY FOR A MOTOR

GROUP ART UNIT: 2834

ATTY. REFERENCE: HORN3167/BEU

EXAMINER: T. Nguyen

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Official Action dated January 27, 2005.

An election of species and listing of claims is included on page 2 of this response.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3.